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LAST NIGHT'S CIRCULATION 8,753
Three months' Average 8,704, Member A. B. C.

ELYRIA, OHIO, SATURDAY, DEC. 13, 1924.

Weather Forecast: Cold wave tonight and Sunday; snow flurries tonight; Sunday partly cloudy; snow flurries; strong N. W. wind

PRICE 2 CENTS

SAMUEL GOMPERS, LABOR LEADER, DIED TODAY

Elyria Workers Get \$240,000 Christmas Money

CHRISTMAS BUYING SPIRIT EXPECTED; FORTY PLANTS PAY

WATER SUPPLY AT GRAFTON ADEQUATE

Village Council Shows Where Sufficient Water for Proposed State Hospital Is Available Through Black River and Quarry Hole Reservoir

The Grafton village council has made public a resume of facts in connection with the purchase of 115.5 acres of land a mile east of the village by the state for the construction of a hospital for the insane in 1921. This is to substantiate their contention that an adequate water supply is available.

A hearing on the project was held at Grafton this week.

With the exception of a frame dormitory, no buildings have ever been constructed on the land. Many farm buildings that stood on the land have been torn down by the state. State Reform school prisoners have cultivated crops on the land since.

There is an improved macadam road running through the property, with the Big Four railroad adjoining, making the site wholly accessible for institutional purposes. The site lies within 20 miles of Cleveland. Grafton now has through interurban car service to Cleveland over the Cleveland and Southwestern.

Four wells were drilled within one acre on the farm. A large underground cavity filled with water was discovered about 20 years ago on the Ross farm, part of this site. The bottom of the cavity could not be found.

The Black River runs through Grafton. There is a large quarry hole in the city used by the city as a water reservoir, containing about 67 1/2 million gallons of spring water. At a test 72,000 gallons of water were pumped from the reservoir over a period of two weeks aside from the regular village water works supply.

Village officials believe the river could be dammed in such a manner as to provide a large reservoir supply of water that could be utilized at the institution.

COMMISSIONERS TURN DOWN ROAD PROJECT

The application for the establishment of a new road between Town Line road and Starkey road in the northwest section of Elyria township has been rejected by the board of county commissioners.

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DRIVER SHOULD HAVE SEEN DANGER

Utilities Commission Inspectors Blame School Bus Operator for Sheffield Lake Crash of Oct. 23; School Board Also Criticized for Lack of Rules

Severe criticism of the Sheffield Lake Board of Education for its policies, or alleged lack of policies, in the operation of its school buses was made in the report of state inspectors to the Ohio Public Utilities Commission.

A copy of the report to the commission has been received by Coroner Myles E. Perry.

The inspectors recommended that the Sheffield Lake board provide more adequate buses for the transportation of school children; that the board should hire only licensed drivers for these buses and that the board should establish rules governing the conduct of drivers at railroad crossings and other danger points.

The inspectors found that the driver of the bus, struck by an interurban car on the Lake Shore Railway line at Bennett road crossing, Stop 73, Oct. 23, should have seen the approaching car before crossing. Four children were killed and 19 others injured in the crash.

The inspectors reported that there is a distance of 15 feet from the nearest rail to a shelter shed and that if the bus stopped where the driver said it did, he should have seen the westbound car coming.

"It was the duty of the driver of the bus to see that the track was clear and no car approaching from either direction before crossing the track, and we believe that his failure to see the approaching car was the cause of the accident," the report reads. It continues:

"We believe a contributing cause to the seriousness of the accident is an open ditch extending north from the street car company property line along the highway. Said ditch is 10 feet deep, 12 feet wide on top and runs north to the lake. When the car collided with the bus, the bus was thrown to the north and west into the ditch; the rear end of the bus was broken in the collision and permitted the children to fall out into the ditch and the bus fell on top of them crushing out the lives of four and injuring nineteen.

On questioning the driver of the bus we learned that the Sheffield Lake Village School Board do not require their drivers to be licensed or work under any established rule of the board as to crossing railroad tracks or other places on their routes that might be dangerous. The position is gained by competitive bidding for the job.

"We are advised that since the date of the accident the board are employing two men on the bus on this route, one to drive, the other to flag the bus across the railroad tracks at Stop 73. On questioning these men, we learned that neither are licensed drivers.

"Further, we wish to comment on the fact that the bus was inadequate as thirty children were crowded into a bus seating capacity of twenty and hauled a distance of three miles. Thus one third of them must stand the entire distance to and from school daily. This does not add to the strength or health of the children.

"We would recommend that the Sheffield Lake Village School Board provide adequate buses manned by competent men (licensed) to operate them, and that the board establish rules governing the drivers in their operation of buses across the railroad tracks and at any other point along the route or routes where there might be danger of an accident."

At the Pay Co. store it was reported that the season was a little quiet, but certain lines were being disposed of to their satisfaction.

Boylan's store was crowded. "Everything is all right with us," said Kenneth Boylan. "Our trade is good."

At Saul's ladies-to-wear store no complaint was made as to conditions. Seasonable lines were moving freely.

George Philpott & Son reported (No. 1 Continued on Page 4)

At Clark's Music Store a good trade was reported.

Vestal, the shoe man, stated trade was fair and about up to the average of former years at this time.

Robert Lersch, of John Lersch & Co., stated that business had begun a week earlier than a year ago, and had kept up well. He believed that the distribution of the Christmas money club funds had helped trade.

At Foster-Pitch store it was stated that their Christmas trade started two weeks ago, and was



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J. B. JOHNSON WILL BE CHEST CAMPAIGN MANAGER NEXT FALL

J. B. Johnson, general manager of the Ohio Public Service Co., was selected as the campaign manager for the Community Chest drive to be held next fall for the year of 1926, at a meeting of the Executive Committee held in Directors' Rooms of the Lorain County Savings and Trust Co. last evening.

Strengthening Committee Upon a motion by Dr. C. H. Cushing, seconded by T. L. Moise, it was voted to have the Executive Committee include a Protestant minister, a Catholic Priest and a member of the Labor Unions.

Upon motion by Mr. Moise, seconded by J. C. Parsch, it was voted to hold quarterly public meetings at which a report from the Community Service Council and from each beneficiary, be made public. The details of this public work were placed in the hands of Vice President Findley, A. C. Hudnutt and Mr. Moise.

Plan Next Campaign The chairman was instructed to appoint a committee of five to formulate plans for next fall's campaign, following a motion made by A. C. Hudnutt, seconded by Artemas Beebe. This committee is to act throughout the year for the Council, and particularly to prepare plans for the next campaign and to present them at a future meeting of the Council.

George Stevens Jr., suggested that a dinner be arranged at the Country Club to be attended by the heads of factories and by representatives of the Community Service Council, this dinner to be paid for by private subscriptions; the object being to discuss with the factory heads for factory contributions to the 1926 chest. It was decided to arrange for the dinner as outlined.

Co-Operation Assured There was much enthusiasm at the meeting at the co-operation being extended in the humanitarian work. Every member unanimously agreed to assist the next year's campaign manager in making the next drive another distinct success.

The idea of as expressed in organizing this early is that the Community Chest can be a body which will function throughout the entire year and so that the organization of a campaign itself will not have to be organized the last few days before the campaign starts, but have everything set with plans mapped out, committees selected, in advance of the fall work.

2 DEAD, 3 INJURED IN AUTO-TROLLEY CRASH

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 13.—Andrew Isler, 40, and Mrs. Jennie Ponders, of Youngstown, were instantly killed early today, and three others were seriously injured when an automobile collided head-on with an interurban car bound for Warren.

The injured included Ben Watson, Youngstown; Miss Lucille Watson, Youngstown; his sister, and an unidentified man.

Glimpses of Gompers' Life--



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Tower Gazers Get Broadway In Traffic Jam

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—A little group of office workers idling away their luncheon hour on lower Broadway halted and pointed to the tall tower of the Woolworth building, fifty-two stories above the sidewalk.

They discussed the recent announcement that Cass Gilbert, architect of the building, would make tests in the first gale to ascertain whether the tower swayed in the wind.

The group pointing upward was enough to start a luncheon hour traffic jam in Broadway. Everybody stopped and tried to discover a plumbline said to be hanging from the tower. There was none.

Police reserves had to be called to keep the spectators moving.

TOLEDO PASTOR WILL ADDRESS OPEN FORUM

Rec. B. C. Hibler, "The Little Giant of the Pulpit" Speaks at Church of Christ at 3 P. M.

"Religion and Human Needs," will be the subject of the address at the open forum in the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The speaker will be Rev. B. C. Hibler, until recently pastor of the Church of Christ in the Broadway district of Toledo. "The Little Giant of the Pulpit" as Hibler is called, is a man of small physique but unusual ability as a thinker and speaker.

In speaking of the subject of his address Mr. Hibler said, "The thing I want most to present to the forum audience is a message that lies near my own heart—it is the question of the place of the church in the modern world. The church is a great and living institution, but we are living in an age of rapid change. Can the church meet the needs of men in

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CALLS IN AIDES AT END, WISH FILLED BY DYING IN U. S.

HIT-SKIP AUTO DRIVER GIVES SELF UP

John Fallon, Brother of Elyrian, Held to Grand Jury; Says Mental Anguish Forced Him to Surrender

LORAIN, Dec. 13.—John Fallon, 30, Cleveland, walked into Municipal Court yesterday afternoon and gave himself up under a charge of manslaughter.

Fallon admitted he was the driver of the auto that ran down and killed Benjamin Williams, a sailor of Buffalo, N. Y., the night of Nov. 16. The accident occurred on Broadway at 14th street.

He was bound over to the grand jury under a bond of \$1,000, which was furnished by a brother in Elyria.

Fallon said he was the man that went to the hospital to find out how the victim of the crash was, finding the man had died. He said he became frightened and fled.

Later he said he suffered mental anguish over the affair and decided to give himself up, according to police.

Police twice grilled a Lorain man in connection with the case, but released him from lack of evidence.

ABANDONED BOY BABY COMES TO ELYRIA

Attorney L. D. Hamlin, Humane Officer, and Sheriff Underhill Bring Two-weeks Old Infant Found in Wellington Depot to Probate Court

Applications for the adoption of the two-weeks old baby boy found in a traveling bag in the Big Four depot at Wellington Thursday night must be sent to Probate court.

Many persons have already signified their desire to take the youngster, said to be one of the brightest and prettiest babies in existence.

Attorney L. D. Hamlin, president of the Lorain County Humane Society, played "daddy" to the infant, bringing it to Elyria in his arms, after he and Sheriff Fred A. Underhill went to Wellington to investigate the case yesterday.

Both the attorney and the sheriff expressed keenest delight at the antics of the youngster during its journey in the sheriff's auto and in the attorney's arms.

"It is a strong, beautiful child," Attorney Hamlin said. "It was well dressed and apparently had been well cared for. There were pretty pink silk socks, knitted things and a fine blanket. The linen was all hand embroidered. The kid was exceptionally lively and I had a hard time holding him."

The baby has been taken into the custody of the Humane Society by Attorney Hamlin, under the Ohio statute. It is temporarily in the hands of Mrs. Anna Barry of East Bridge street. The case will be taken into Probate court where applications for its adoption will be heard, Attorney Hamlin said.

This is the procedure according to the law.

Whoever abandoned the baby in the depot meant no trace of its identity should be easily found. A search of birth certificates filed by physicians fails to reveal any clue as to its parents.

Sheriff Underhill said he did not believe the baby belonged to parties in or near Wellington.

The child was found by Mrs. F. Dyer, Oberlin, in a black traveling bag in the Big Four depot. No one saw the bag put there and no clues in the case have been ascertained.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 13.—Samuel Gompers is dead.

The Veteran Labor Leader, victor in his last fight on the soil of his homeland suffered a relapse early today and died at 4:03 a. m.

Official announcement of his death was made by Chester I. Wright, press representative of the American Federation of Labor, which Gompers helped organize and which he led as president for 37 years.

Known Death Near The first intimation that death was imminent came at 2 a. m. when members of the Gompers party were awakened and the physicians were called in hurried consultation.

His breathing then was labored and painful and his vitality low from the struggle against the bronchial and pneumonic condition which had necessitated the emergency trip from Mexico City.

At 4 o'clock William Mahon of Detroit, an official of the Federation came from Gompers' room with tears streaming down his face.

Gompers knew he was near death. He faced the dark prospect with the same spirit he showed when he answered the physicians who counseled against the return to the United States and were told: "If I must die I want to die at home."

Frank Morrison, secretary of the Federation, sat at the bedside of the dying man.

Fully conscious, Gompers reached for Morrison's hand, and between labored breaths told him: "Frank, I'm dying. Please send for my wife."

Death came a few moments later.

Honored in Mexico Gompers went to Mexico City with a delegation of representatives of the American Federation of Labor, following his re-election as president at the federation convention in El Paso, Texas. He attended the inauguration of President Calles of Mexico and insisted upon attending a bull fight afterwards, though he was experiencing trouble with his breathing in the rarified altitude of the Mexican capital and was so weak he had to be supported by friends as he left the arena.

He lay ill for three days in his hotel room before the homeward trip was undertaken. During this time, he was re-elected president of the Pan-American Labor unions.

Party Members Weep "Nurse, this is the end.—God bless our American institutions. May they grow better," was the parting message of the dying chief to his subordinates, grouped about his bed, bowed in grief.

Stern, purposeful men with gray hair in wrinkled business suits, cried unashamed. The men—who had followed the direction of the dead leader in the interests of labor spoke hardly a word. Women of the party sobbed.

The body of Samuel Gompers, Veteran President of the American Federation of Labor who died this morning, will be taken to Washington some time tonight.

Had Noted Career Samuel Gompers was born in England January 27, 1850. He was a cigar maker by trade and a pioneer advocate of the rights of organized labor becoming interested in the trades union idea when he was but fourteen. He was one of the founders of the American Federation of Labor in 1886 and served continuously as its president except for one term, that in 1895.

He helped develop the Cigar makers International Union in 1878 and served continuously as an officer of that organization. He was editor of the American Federationist and author of several pamphlets on labor questions and the trades union movement.

His unceasing activity as a labor champion brought him national and international repute. He was a member of the advisory committee of the council of national defense in the war years and representative of the American Federation of Labor at the Peace Conference in Paris in 1919 and at the League of Nations in 1920.

He also served on several national industrial committees during the administration of Woodrow Wilson, president and president of the

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Gompers' Successor Will Be Chosen From This Group



The last photo taken of Samuel Gompers and his brother officers in the American Federation of Labor. Left to right, back row, Vice Presidents Matthew Woll, William Green, Frank Duff, Martin F. Ryan, Jacob Fischer, T. A. Rickert. Seated, Daniel J. Tobin, treasurer; James Duncan, vice president; Samuel Gompers, Secretary Frank Harrison, Joseph F. Valentine, vice president.

510,000 HEART BALM ASKED IN SUIT

Floyd H. Hoag, Lorain, Files Petition Charging William Glime With Causing His Wife to Lose Her Love and Affection for Him

A suit for \$10,000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections was filed today in common pleas court by Floyd H. Hoag, Lorain, against William Glime, Lorain.

Hoag charges that Glime caused his wife to lose her love and affection for him by planning and inducing her to leave him and to form an illicit and adulterous relationship with Glime.

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ATTIC BLAZE, BURNING TAXI, STUMP FIRES, KEEP FIREMEN BUSY

City firemen were kept busy last night.

The most serious fire was at the residence of Kater Parnand and Joe Kaylor, 134 Warren avenue, at 1:15 a. m. when the fire broke out in a sub-basement from some undetermined cause.

A pile of burning rubbish was taken from the other part of the building when steps were taken to extinguish the fire.

When a yellow taxi caught fire at Broad street and Washington avenue at 10:30 p. m. it took about 15 minutes to get it under control.

Stump fires were also burning in various parts of the city.

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MATTHEW WOLL
Vice President American Federation of Labor

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ANOTHER FIRE AT N. EATON BARN BURNED

NORTH EATON, O., Dec. 13.—The large barn on the farm of Fred Hawke, owned by his uncle, John Hawke, was completely destroyed by fire this morning.

The fire broke out at nine o'clock this morning.

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WELLINGTON

By Mrs. A. B. CURTICE

"MANY ATTEND BAZAAR" WELLINGTON, Dec. 13.—Over 250 people attended the chicken supper given by the ladies of the Methodist church in connection with their bazaar last evening.

This was a highly fine attendance, especially so since it rained most of the late afternoon and evening.

The lantern exploded after shipping off a nail last evening. A vigilance was kept all night but apparently the smothering flames had eaten its way to the hay mow and the fire broke out at nine o'clock this morning.

All of the live stock except a cow was rescued. Forty tons of hay, a new Ford touring car, a new set of harness, wagon box and sled were destroyed.

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Oberlin Road

By Mrs. GAR McROBERTS

OBERLIN ROAD, Dec. 13.—D. J. Campbell spent Sunday in Elyria as guest of his brother, John Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krueger and family visited their daughter, Mrs. E. Bremer and family at their home in Avon.

Ted Harper of S. Amherst spent Saturday at R. P. Clark's and enjoyed the day hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Denner of Elyria returned from Florida, and spent last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Howard.

Mrs. Harry Spuecker and family of Amherst, and Mr. and Mrs. George Baumann and daughter, Mildred of West Ridge and Mrs. Willie Van Haverly of Richmond, Ohio, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baumann.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howie and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howie and on Wesley called Sunday afternoon upon Mr. and Mrs. William A. Jones in Brighton and Mr. and Mrs. John Bunney in Kipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Squibb and daughter of West Ridge called on Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davis.

Mrs. H. H. Edwards called on her sister Mrs. H. J. Hoot in LaGrange last week.

Frank Krueger, Jr. attended the banquet given in honor of the O. H. S. football team at the Rowland hall, Frank's school, and captain of the team for the coming year.

Mrs. Martin Waller and daughter, Wanda Jean, visited her mother, Mrs. Pierce, who is sick at her home in LaGrange.

Mrs. J. Thompson of O. H. S. spent Wednesday at school in Elyria.

The Oberlin Ladies' Aid Association will meet Monday night at the Oberlin hall, Frank's school, and a good time is promised. All members are invited to attend.

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Wellington opera house Thursday night.

John Brooks was unable to attend school a part of last week on account of sickness.

A good crowd attended the social at the school house, Friday night. The committee had prepared a very interesting program consisting of music, speaking dialogues and plays, also several contests.

A delicious lunch was then served. The next social will be held Friday evening, Jan. 2, 1925. John Kern was appointed chairman of the committee and the program is to be in charge of the men of the association.

Mr. Collins and Supt. Liddle of the Ridgeville schools spent Saturday at the William Farr home and enjoyed the day hunting.

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OBERLIN

By MRS. W. E. CHAPIN

COMMUNITY TO GATHER ABOUT LIGHTED TREE

OBERLIN, Dec. 13.—Oberlin will again have a community Christmas tree this year, according to plans announced this week. The tree, which is a large pine growing on the south side of the college campus, will be lighted next week in order that the college students may hold a sing about it before leaving for home next Thursday evening. This will be the first event of the season. Later on in the week community sings and carol services will be held. The tree will probably be lighted every night of the Christmas vacation until after New Year.

FOUR IN RACE FOR OXFORD HONOR

OBERLIN, Dec. 13.—Four men, G. Percival Haskell, '25; Victor Obenhaus, '25; Robert H. Hagen, '26; and Arnold Zuercher, '24, will be the Oberlin candidates for the fifteenth Ohio Rhodes scholarship to be awarded by the state committee Saturday afternoon, December 13.

tion by Joseph Ainley, '24, and in the Connecticut competition by Lewandowski, '24. In Kentucky Francis Hutchins, '25, was to have been Oberlin's representative, and in Illinois, Clifford, Blair, '24; but the present plans of these two men make it impossible for them to compete.

The scholarships include three years at Oxford University, England, with about \$1,700 a year, besides the advantages of travel and study on the Continent, and a wider acquaintance with students of other lands.

A. L. AUXILIARY ELECTS

OBERLIN, Dec. 13.—The annual election of officers of the American Legion Auxiliary resulted as follows: President, Miss Lois Cummings. First vice-president, Mrs. Munger. Second vice-president, Mrs. Spiller. Secretary, Mrs. Estella Cook. Treasurer, Mrs. Blackmer. Sargeant-at-Arms, Mrs. Mary Worcester. Historian, Mrs. Harley.

OBERLIN BRIEFS

OBERLIN, Dec. 13.—Professor C. W. Savage, director of Athletics in Oberlin college, left yesterday for Philadelphia where he will address the meeting of the Middle Atlantic State's Collegiate Athletic Conference. His topic will be "The Administration of Inter-Collegiate Athletics." As a means of promoting a better feeling of friendship between Oberlin athletic teams and their opponents, visiting basketball teams will be entertained during a social hour to be held by the varsity "O" club at 10 on the evenings of the games. Paul Blanchard, field secretary

of the League for Industrial Democracy, is to speak in Sturges Hall, Monday evening at 7:30, under the auspices of the Oberlin College Liberal Club. Mr. Blanchard, who has spoken before in Oberlin, comes to Oberlin for the purpose of interesting as many as possible in gaining equal rights before the law and in industrial disputes, for the working man of America.

He will speak a second time at the noon-day chapel service in Finney Chapel Tuesday, and in those classes in Sociology which meet Tuesday. All are invited to any of these speeches. Mr. Blanchard will be the guest of Professor Newell R. Simms, head of the Sociology Department during his stay in Oberlin.

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CRAWFORD PRODUCTS

Since the removal of the Standard Hardware Company to their new location on Middle avenue, next to the Masonic Temple, they have made many changes, among them being a substantial addition to their stock of Crawford bicycles. This store also handles velocipedes, tricycles, scooters, and wheel toy vehicles. At present, they have a display in their store that will attract the fancy of any boy or girl in Elyria.

REINDEER BICYCLES

A. M. Hannaford of the Elyria Hardware Company states that his store supply and display of the famous Reindeer Bicycles for boys and girls is most complete. The bicycle division of the Elyria Hardware Company has been a feature of the store and Mr. Hannaford cites some of Elyria's most athletic juveniles as examples of the physical benefits to be derived from being a confirmed rider of bicycles.

STOCK FOR ALL AGES

While the major portion of the business of the City Hardware Co. is composed of structural hardware and manufacturers hardware the manager, Julius Hyman, is always cognizant of the fact that to conduct a successful hardware store the stocks must appeal to every age; and consequently, the parent wishing to buy the boy or girl a bicycle for Christmas will find a very attractive display of bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes, and other wheeled gifts in fanciful array.

GRAFTON

By MISS A. M. JOHNSON
Phone 539

GRAFTON, Dec. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schweizer, son and five daughters who left Wittenberg, Germany on Thanksgiving day arrived here at the home of Mrs. Schweizer sister, Mrs. Jake Schweizer on Tuesday evening, Dec. 9.

Mrs. Harold Geheringer and daughter of Cleveland were the guests of Mrs. Nellie Bamrick Thursday. Mrs. Bamrick accompanied them home for a visit until Sunday.

The proceeds from the bazaar and dinner held in the M. E. church on Wednesday were \$66. The W. C. T. U. enjoyed a meeting at the home of Mrs. W. E. Baker on Wednesday evening. Seven ladies were present. The program consisted of the general discussion on law enforcement. The union will meet with Miss Little Cragin for the next meeting on Thursday afternoon Jan. 8.

Mrs. Mary Coon who returned home from the Memorial hospital in Elyria on Thanksgiving where she underwent operative treatment is reported as not convalescing as well as was hoped for.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Mole are rejoicing over the arrival of a second son, born at Memorial

Hospital on Thursday Dec. 11. Mother and child are doing nicely.

A. M. Ewers was called to Cleveland Friday to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. Sharer, Mrs. Ewers who had been with her sister for several days accompanied him home on Tuesday. She is recovering from a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sandrock and family and sister, Miss Luella Sandrock spent Sunday as guests of Mrs. Sandrock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Miller at Penfield Junction.

The next meeting of Grafton Grange will be held on Thursday evening Dec. 18 when a Christmas program will be given. The program will consist of a short Christmas play, music, readings and the surprise feature in charge of Mrs. F. E. Schriver and Claude Box, the prize winners at the last meeting. Each lady is requested to bring sandwiches and one other dish for the supper.

The girls and boys basketball teams of the Grafton High school have reorganized for the season, the girls electing Bernadette Bardone as their captain, and Herbert Kollinski was selected captain of the boys team. Having no gymnasium of their own, Supt. Redmond has made arrangements with the Helden Board of Education for the use of their gym for practice.

Miss Luella Sandrock visited her sister, Mrs. A. H. Ernst in Elyria Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stace Kubaski, have a baby girl born Friday, Dec. 5. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers entertained their sons, Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Rogers, and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rogers and child at Cleveland Sunday.

Mrs. B. B. Harrison has returned home after spending several weeks with her family in Chicago, Illinois.

REAL ESTATE

Nellie Gilmore, to Leonard Kullas, lot 2, Stang's ad to Lorain, \$1,000.

William Stegman to William Grills, lots 19, 20, Hill Realty Co. \$1,000.

ad to Elyria, \$6,000.

Fred Roehl to Mae Borgan, lot 24, Crisp trustees ad to Elyria, \$1,500.

S. B. Guren to G. A. Resek, lot 55, original plat of Lorain, \$2,500.

The Atlas Finance Co. to G. L. Sinclair, lot 150, Erie Park, Lorain, \$2,000.

Agnes Newland to Carrie Beyer, lot 2265 Sheffield Land Co.'s ad to Lorain, \$5,000.

Vincent Batwinski to Donald Maquet, pt of lot 11, blk 15, Braman, tr trustees, ad to Lorain, \$6,500.

Joseph Regier to Morris Beller, pt of lot 153 Cascade st. Elyria, \$1,000.

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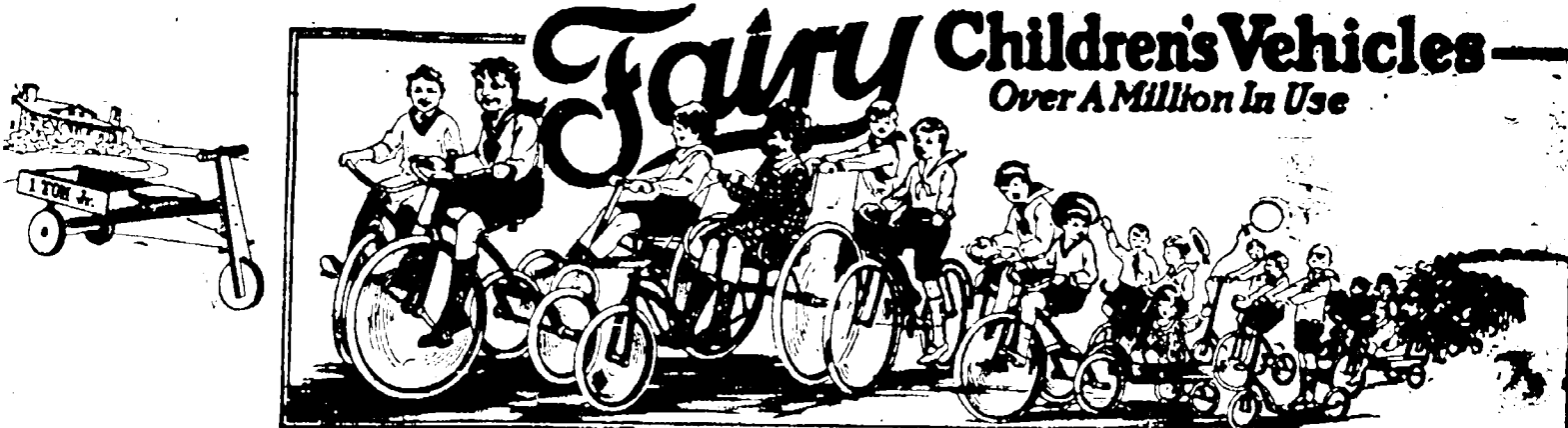
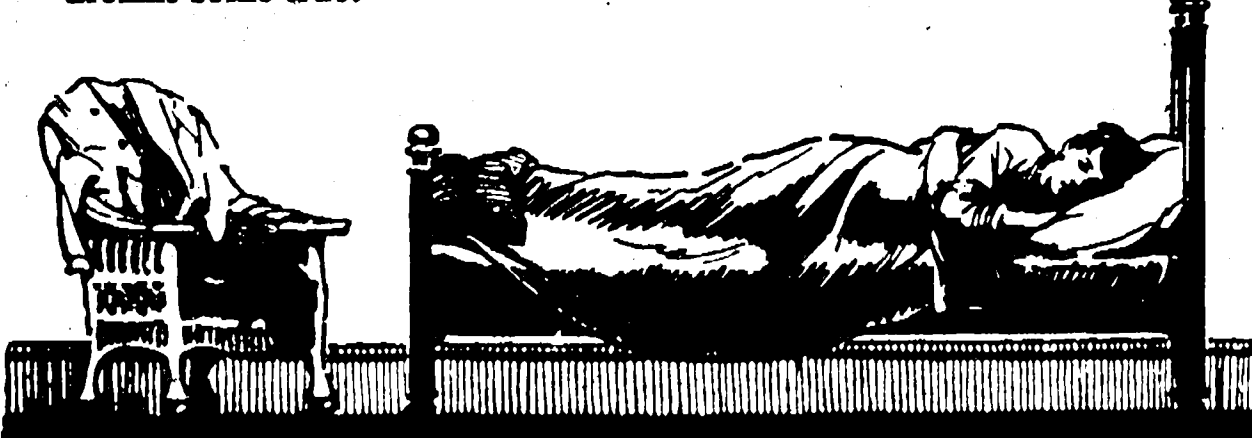
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Toy Automobiles priced from **7.50 to 27.50**
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First there is "The Girls of the Altitude," four beautiful "Devils" of the air, offering the last word in aerial athletics. Then comes "George Reed and his Girls," artists and stars of musical comedy fame, in his latest presentation "Revue Time." Featuring with Mr. Reed, are gorgeous Alice Lucy and Agnes Kane, two of the most beautiful girls on the American stage. The third feature brings the Three Famous Elwell Sisters, in an out of the ordinary "Song, Dance and Musical Revue," wonderfully costumed and staged.

Then comes Dolly Malone, in what she terms "10 minutes of Kid Fun" and you will find Miss Malone a clever entertainer, judging from all advance reports. Next is La Mora and Rozella, "Black and Tan" funsters.

The above together with a one reel "News Weekly and a one reel "Imperial Comedy" complete the bill. Matinee at 2:30 p. m. Evening at 7 and 8:45 p. m.

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ture taken at the lumber camps and has many thrilling scenes in it. Also a very good comedy to follow.

GRAND—The fine picture, "Missing Daughters," will be shown for the last time today. This is a great offering, besides being very entertaining in nature. Also Universal News and a roaring comedy.

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a very satisfactory trade in footwear. "Trade is better with us than this time last year," it was stated.

Allen & Brown, furniture dealers, stated that they were having a satisfactory trade, and had no cause to complain.

The Lewis Mercantile store was well filled and sales were freely made. The trade has been good for some time it was stated.

Harry H. Smith & Co. were also optimistic. "People are buying at our store," said Harry Smith. "We are pleased with our trade, and have a large force of clerks busy."

At the Farm Implement Co. it was stated that their trade had started in and was growing daily. Phillips Drug Store has had a good trade during the holidays, according to C. W. Phillips. Toilet articles, kodaks and similar goods are meeting with a ready sale.

Christmas Clubs Help.

At Muir's Drug Store, it was stated that trading started later than expected but was now going rapidly, and they expected to do a lot of business.

At the Savings Deposit Bank & Trust Co.'s bank, the Christmas Club feature is stronger than ever. Many new accounts are being opened, and most of those who had accounts last year have renewed them.

The Elyria Dry Goods Co. reports a very satisfactory business that is growing in volume daily.

Allen's Boot Shop states trade started a little late, but has improved daily. They had no cause to complain.

The Standard Hardware Co. is also enjoying a good trade. Seasonable articles they have for sale are moving.

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BILLY WHISKERS

BY FRANCES TREGO MONTGOMERY

You remember Nannie had an adventure with some broad dough in her efforts to escape from the farmhouse. She went upstairs and got to an open window. She stuck her head out and saw, about five feet below, the roof of a low shed.

"Now if I can squeeze myself through this window frame, I can easily jump to that roof. Then I shall be free to continue my journey," she thought. But as she looked out of the window she saw a woman driving a horse and buggy up the lane. So she stuck her head in and ran downstairs so as to be at the door when it was opened. The object was to butt whoever opened the door, and then run over them and make her escape.

Nannie reached the door long before the woman had had time to turn her horse over to the boys, who came out of the barn to greet her. And Nannie could hear her asking them if they had fed the chickens and pigs and milked the cows and many other questions as she walked up the path to the house. She lovingly opened the kitchen door but when half open something hit her in the stomach and laid her flat on her back, while whatever it was walked over her and disappeared down the lane.

She was so frightened she closed her eyes and never opened them to see what it was that attacked her. And she lay still, never moving a muscle until the footsteps had died away in the distance. Then she jumped up and fled from the house to the barn, where the boys were milking the cows.

On seeing them she called, "Oh, my children! Are you all safe? I was afraid I should find you all dead. A terrible monster as big as a cow ran into me and knocked me down and then walked over me as I lay stretched on my back. And I give you my word of honor that its feet were big as an elephant's and that it had hoofs of iron. I am all mashed to bits where its awful feet stepped on me."



and see if there are any more of that kind of animals in the house. I would not enter that house for a million dollars until it has been thoroughly searched." And they all four started across lots to Mr. Strongholtz's. But what was their surprise when half way there to see their own hired girl, the farmer and his son hurrying on their way, the young fellow with a gun over his shoulder, his dogs pulling at their leashes.

(What do you suppose they all said when they saw the damage Nannie had done trying to escape?)

SOUTH RIDGE

ALMA J. P. BUCHTEL
Phone 20341

SOUTH RIDGE, Dec. 13.—Church services on Sunday, December 14th: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Prayer service at 11 a. m.; preaching service at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Emil Schroeder pleasantly entertained the members of the Needle Guild Society on Wednesday afternoon, with a large attendance present, the afternoon being spent in quilting and social time. Delicious refreshments were served. The January meeting will be entertained by Mrs. Matilda Drumm, when the annual election will take place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knittle and children were guests of Mrs. Kathryn Kolbe and family on Middle Ridge, Sunday.

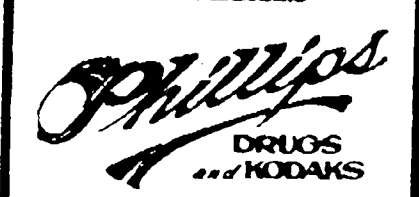
A large number from here attended the chicken supper and bazaar at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Decker on Murray Ridge on Tuesday evening, given by the Woman's Missionary society of this place.

Emil Schroeder and family visited his brother, William Schroeder and family in Ridgeville, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Smith of West Ridge is spending a few days this week

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"Get Him Something for the Car"



at the home of her son, C. J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Collier and children, Gordon and James, of Elyria, called on relatives here Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knittle spent Wednesday in Lorain with Mr. and Mrs. A. Madill.

Mrs. Fanny Grant of Elyria, spent a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Laraway.

Grading services will be held on Tuesday evening, following quarterly conference, which will be in charge of Presiding Elder

Rev. W. M. Schurter, of Cleveland.

Mrs. Frank Baus and Mrs. Milton Baus will be hostesses to the Woman's Missionary Society at the latter's home on Thursday afternoon, December 18th.

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Church Announcement

Church of Christ Choir To Give Cantata Sunday Eve.

The Choir of the Church of Christ will present its Christmas Cantata, entitled, "The Light Eternal" by Rene Brenner, Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock. The time of the cantata opens with the prophecy of the birth of Christ and closes with a chorus of consecration to the world's Redeemer, the Light Eternal, the entire production being filled with the Christmas spirit. There is an excellent combination of solos,

duets, trios and choruses, special parts being taken by Misses Bidle and Crowell, Mesdames Detman, Strickler and Walker, soprano, Mesdames Gregg and Maddock, contralto, Messrs. Leedy and Wainwright, tenor, Messrs. Walter Smith and Wilcox, baritone. A very cordial invitation is extended to all to witness this service of Christmas music.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

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Captain and Mrs. Jeffries officiers.

WEEK DAY
Monday Home League, women only, 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday, band practice, 7:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Thursday, Public Meeting, 7:30 a. m.
Friday, Corps Cadet and Band Practice, 7:30 p. m.
Saturday, Pice and Easy Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

SUNDAY
Jail Service, 9 a. m.
Holiness meeting, 10:15 a. m.
Company meeting, 2:00 p. m.
Y. P. Legion, 6:30 p. m.
Salvation meeting, 8:00 p. m.

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL
Meets on Sunday in Gate school auditorium.
Bible school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning service at 11:00 a. m.
No evening service.

Mid week service and prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
Broad street and West avenue
Rev. W. C. Birkner, pastor.
242 Eastern Heights Blvd.
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.
Confessional service at 9:30 a. m.
Morning service at 10:00 a. m.
No German services.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Corner Princeton avenue and East River street
Rev. Harry C. Mubly, pastor.
Sunday school Adult Bible class at 9:15 a. m.
Morning service at 10:45 a. m.
Theme: "Law and Gospel"
Evening service at 7:00 p. m.
Theme: "The Lion of the Tribe of Judah"
"We preach Christ Crucified"

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
Corner Court and Second St. sets.
Rev. William Muir Auld, minister.

Church school at 9:30 a. m.
Adult classes at 9:45 a. m. A mixed adult class; Good Will Bible Class, Young Married People's Club, Les Amies, and Young Men's Class.

Morning service at 10:45 a. m.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST
G. A. R. Hall.
Service at 7:30 p. m.
Martha Hatfield of Warren, O. will be the worker.

THE CHURCH OF GOD
223 Lodi street.
Elder J. Moore, pastor.
Morning service at 11:00 a. m.
Afternoon service at 3:30 p. m.
Evening service at 7:30 p. m.
Come one! Come all!
Evangelists and other workers of the Gospel will speak.

FIRST BAPTIST
Second street and Middle avenue.
Rev. W. L. Walker, pastor.
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Interesting Bible studies for all classes.

Morning service at 10:45 a. m.
Theme: "The Winning Church"
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.
Evening service at 7:30 p. m.
Theme: "The Four Judge-ments"

At both services there will be a special musical program rendered by the orchestra, a male quartet and the choir.
Thursday evening, 7:30, mid-week prayer service. The book of John is being studied.
A cordial welcome to all these services has been extended the public.

A. M. E. CHURCH
129 Lodi street.
Morning service, 11:00 a. m.

Rev. VanPelt, of Lorain, will preach.
At 3:00 p. m., the Harmony Five will sing.
Class and prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30.

ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL
Corner Middle and Third
Edwin B. Redhead, rector.
Holy communion at 7:30.
Sunday school at 9:15.
Sermon at 10:45.
Theme: "The Greatness of St. John the Baptist"
Evening service at 7:15.
Theme: "The Song of Zacharias."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
309 East avenue.
Morning service at 11:00 a. m.
Subject: "God the Preserver of Man"
Wednesday evening, testimonial service at 8:00 p. m.
Reading room located in the Redington block, corner Cheap side and Second street, open daily from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. and evenings from 7:00 to 9:00, except Wednesday.

I. B. S. A.
The International Bible Students will meet in Wurst's hall Sunday
10:00 a. m., Bible Study.
Theme: "Is More than Prayer Necessary to the Obtaining of the Holy Spirit?"

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL
Third street and Middle avenue.
Rev. Paul Bourquin, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Morning service, 10:45.
Bible Study at 7:30.

Lake Avenue Sunday School
The Sunday school of Lake avenue will meet on Sunday morning at 9:00. This S. S. will meet at Stop 7, Lake avenue school house. All the people of this community are urged to come.

FILGRIM COMMUNITY
Garford school.
L. W. Mann, pastor.
Church school at 9:45.
Superintendent Eugene L. Wilson.
Morning service at 11:00.

RIDGEVILLE CHURCHES
RIDGEVILLE, Dec. 13—Church services for Sunday are:
Congregational
Rev. Edward C. Young, minister.
Sunday school at 10:15.
Morning service at 11:00.
Theme: "The Courage of Peter and John."
At 7:30 Mr. Young will give a reading from the drama entitled "A King's Daughter," by John Massfield. This beautiful poem deals with the Old Testament story of Jezebel and Ahab.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC
Father John M. Ryan.
First mass at 8:15.
High mass at 10:15.
Sermon at each.
Instructions for children between masses. After last benediction of the blessed sacrament and baptism after this service.

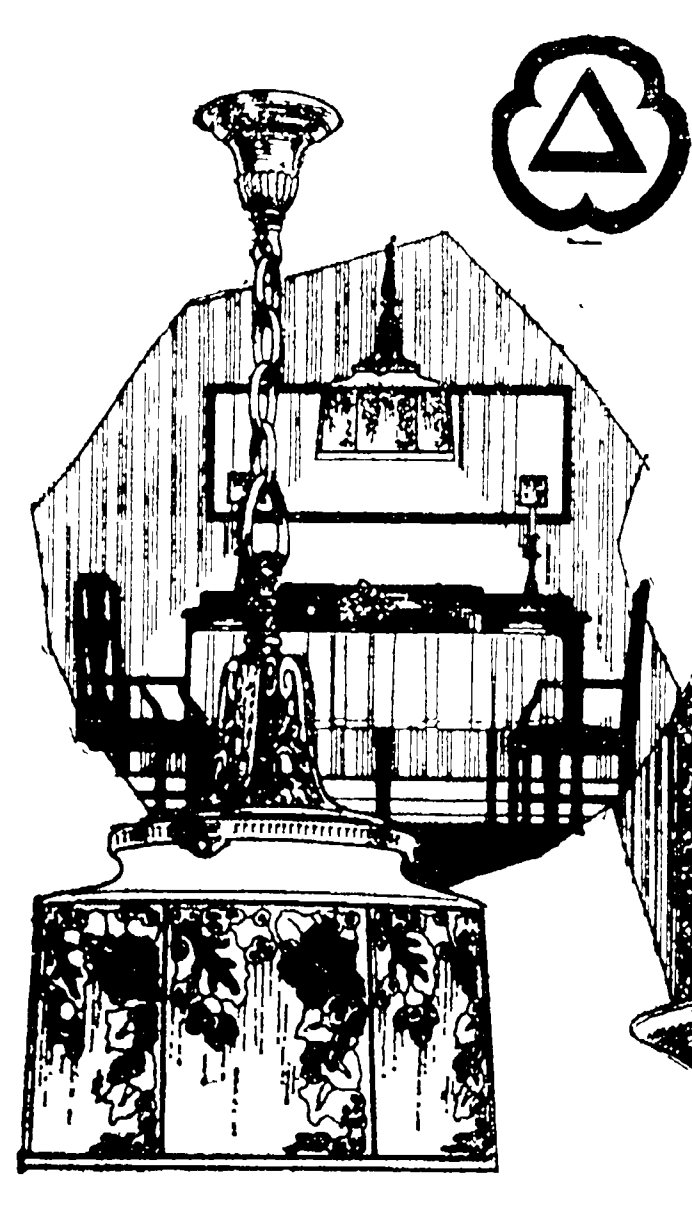
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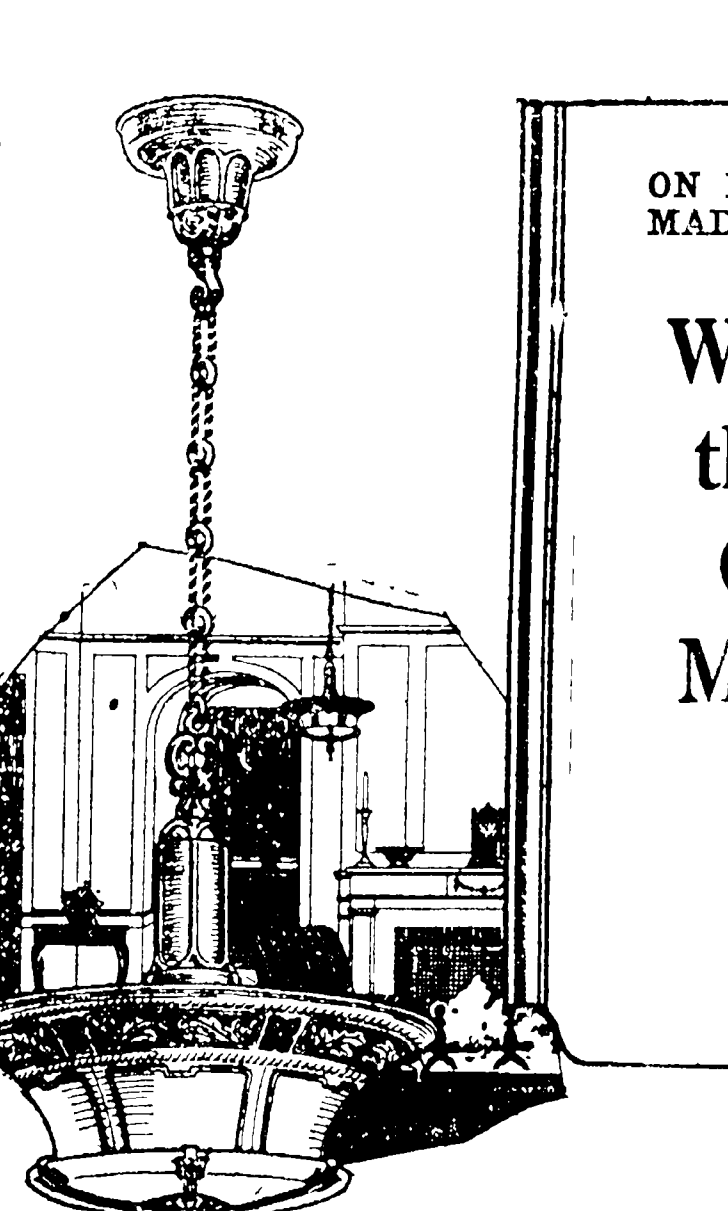
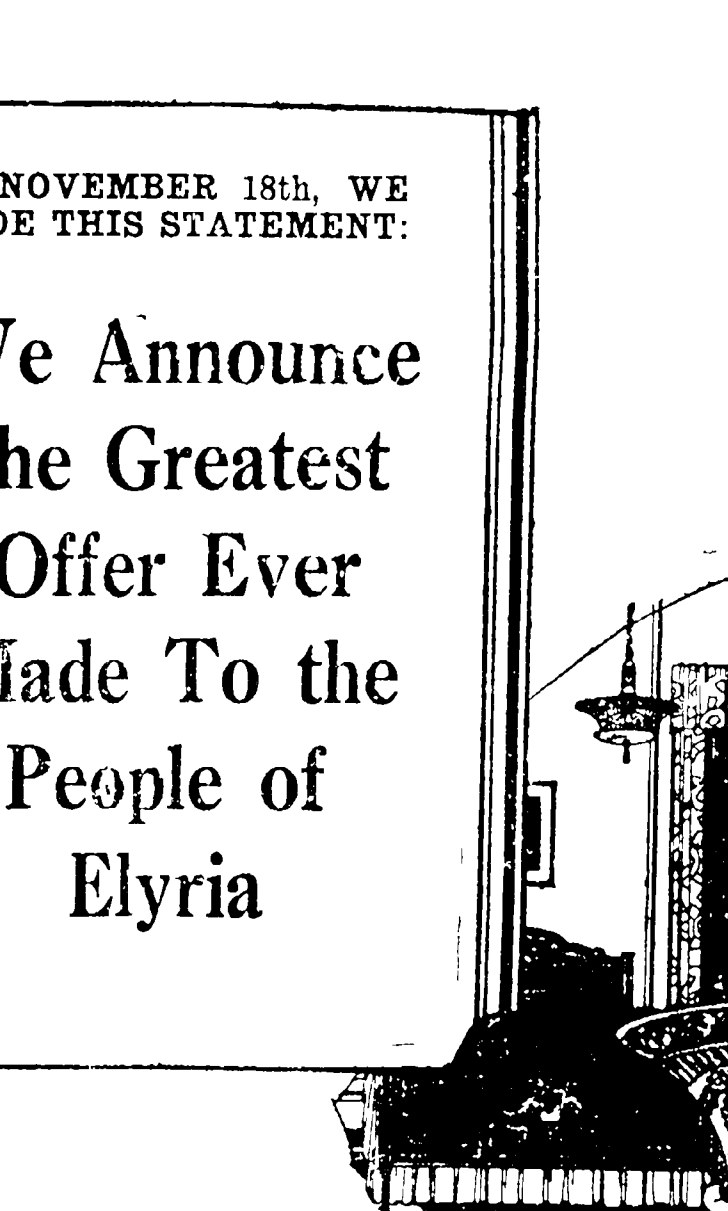
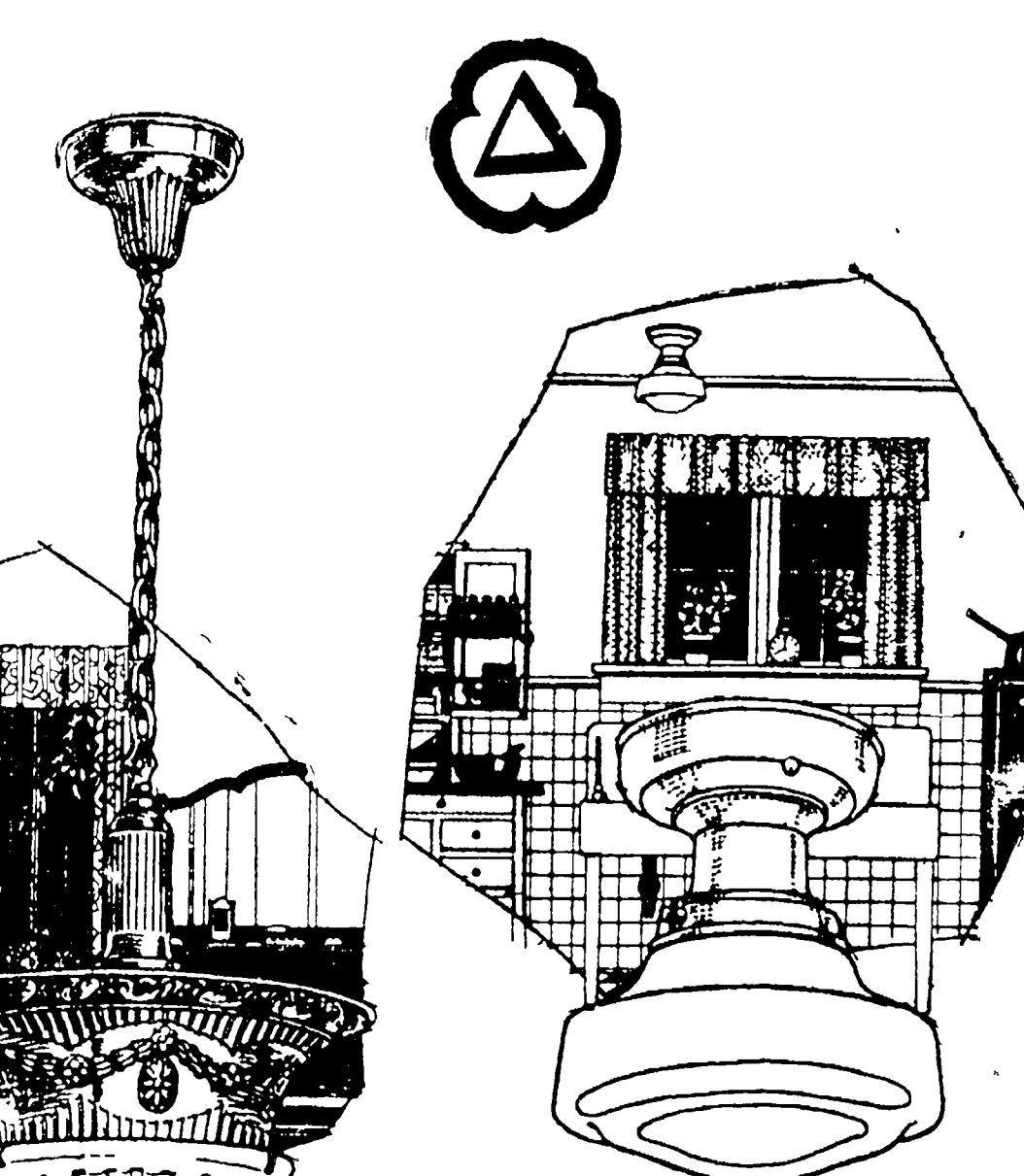
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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY ELYRIA NEW OFFICERS

At a regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary last evening in Legion Hall, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Agnes Feron; first vice-president, Maud J. Churchward; second vice-president, Katherine Beckwith; treasurer, Julia Osborne; chaplain, Cecelia Shannon; sergeant-at-arms, Mary Vayel; and historian, Anna Barnes.

Plans were made for the Christmas party to be given December 26th at which time all members have been requested to attend as new forms of application blanks must be filled out by all members, new and old.

Also plans were made to pack Christmas boxes for ex-servicemen at Columbus and Sandusky. These boxes, towards which all may contribute, will be packed in the Legion rooms on Monday, December 22nd.

The Auxiliary will visit the Gates Home and the Oberlin Home on Christmas Day to carry out food and popcorn balls to the children.

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY DRAPE CHARTER OF DECEASED

A splendid attendance of the members of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty were at the regular meeting last evening. The charter was draped for the recently deceased member, Fred Madison.

The regular meeting was followed by a card party. Eight games of progressive pedro were played with Mrs. E. Sonnell winning first lady's prize, Mrs. A. Zachariah, second, and Mrs. R. Deal was consoled. The men's prizes were awarded to Walter Hosenboom, Wallace Jones and Frank Hittman in the order named.

Refreshments were served at the close of the games.

FOUR O'CLOCK CLUB HAS DELIGHTFUL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The members of the Four O'Clock Club were charmingly entertained at the home of Mrs. Will Thomas on Columbus street at Christmas party, Friday.

The program for the afternoon consisted of a reading by Mrs. Lucy Williams of a Christmas story written by Grace Richmond, Christmas and old-time songs were rendered by Mrs. P. E. Treat, Mrs. Mabel Little and Miss Angelyn Webster with Mrs. J. C. Wherry as accompanist.

Dainty refreshments were served after which Christmas gifts were distributed in a novel manner.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Emerson P. Poste on Park avenue.

RESEARCH CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. E. HECKER

The December meeting of the Research Club took place Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Hecker, 209 Furnace street. Roll call was responded to with "Favorable Winter Pastimes" and the program consisted of a continuation of the study of "Our City" with the phase of education being particularly stressed. Mrs. Pauline Fox and Miss Nellie Hecker both gave interesting papers on the subject.

The monthly magazine article was read by Mrs. Maud Copas.

The next meeting will be in the form of a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Lulu Oldfield on January 8th.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT CENTRAL LABOR MEETING

The Elyria Central Labor Union met in Painters' hall last evening with a good attendance. R. B. Whitehead, chairman of the Committee on Education and Legislation made a report on his work toward making Education week a success.

His reports showed that of a lengthy list of books for the education of workers furnished by the American Federation of Labor, the Elyria library held but three volumes and the Oberlin library nineteen volumes.

After a lengthy round table discussion of ways and means to improve conditions in 1925, the meeting closed with an expression of appreciation from the members to the officers for their work of the past year.

MISSION BAND CHRISTMAS PARTY MERRY AFFAIR

About fifty-five members of the Junior Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church, and their mothers were in attendance at the Christmas party given in the primary room of the church last evening.

The first part of the evening was spent playing lively games after which the opening of the little white boxes which the children brought netted over seven dollars, with not all of the boxes in.

Santa Claus was present and aided in the amusement of the children bringing them boxes of candy, popcorn balls and apples.

The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, January 3rd, from four until five o'clock, in the Men's room of the church.

THE AREME CLUB HAS SOCIAL MEETING

The Areme Club of the Order of Eastern Star met in the chapter room of the Masonic Temple, Friday afternoon.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "Silent Night" by the membership present. After the regular business session Mrs. Lulu Wilcox gave a recitation which was followed by a solo by Mrs. Elizabeth Dickson accompanied by Mrs. H. B. Stone.

Refreshments in keeping with the occasion were served to a very good attendance of the members. The next meeting will be held on Friday, the eighth of January.

Events Monday

The Art and Music Department of the Woman's Civic Club meets at the home of Mrs. Jack Huges, 104 Grace court at 2:30.

Dames of Malta will meet in the I. O. O. F. hall, 7:00 p. m. The Manager Club of E. H. S. meets at high school.

The Pythian Sisters will meet in the K. of P. hall. Junio Club meets after school.

COMMANDER AND MRS. H. H. HALL HONORED WITH GIFT

After the excellent dinner served by the East Side Division of the Women's Relief Corps in Grant Army Hall yesterday afternoon, the guests were called to order by Mrs. Flora Hoak, president of the G. A. R. W. P. C. Club. Mrs. Hoak informed the company that fifty-eight years ago last Wednesday, Commander and Mrs. H. H. Hall, who were present, had before witnessed spoken the words which entitled them to walk together through all those years to the present time, a long journey with its bright and its dark phases made happy by the well merited respect and love everyone who had been fortunate enough to know them.

Mrs. Hoak, then, in behalf of the G. A. R. W. P. C. Club presented the surprised couple with a pretty reading lamp, which she thought was a token of love with the hope that it would make brighter their future hours.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS TO BE SUNG AT OBERLIN CHURCH

The annual Christmas Carol service which is rendered by the large choir of the United Congregational church of Oberlin is to be given at Finney Chapel, Oberlin, on Sunday evening, December 14th, at seven-thirty o'clock.

This is one of the great musical services of the year in Oberlin and is usually largely attended by Elyria people.

Tomorrow's program will be the first carol service under the direction of Dean Shaw of the Oberlin Conservatory of Music.

The program will include the following: Organ prelude, "A Rose Breaks Into Bloom," Brahms; fantasia on Christmas hymns, J. E. West; anthem, "O Fair, O Wondrous Holy Night," Weber; carol, "Shepherd's Noel of 1750," Gavaert; Scripture lesson, carol, "When Christ was Born," Stockwell; offertory, Andante, Gluck, carol, "Joyous Christmas Song," Gavaert, duet, "The Shepherd's Song," Henschel; carol, "When the Christ Was Born," Reincke; Christmas hymn, "O Holy Night," Adolf Adam; benediction; recessional, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," Gruber; organ postlude, improvisation, G. W. Andrews.

ENGLISH HONOR CLUBS HAVE BANQUET

The four English Honor Clubs of Elyria High school, namely the Masque, Garrick, Juno and Atheneum participated in a lovely banquet at the High school last evening. There were about one hundred in attendance including the faculty advisors of the clubs, Miss Berline Fitch, Miss Adele Brown, Miss Lulu Chambers and Miss Lenore Shumaker also Mrs. L. T. Fay, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Margaret Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shively.

The rooms and tables were attractively decorated for the occasion and every one present had an enjoyable evening.

The program which was presented following the banquet was splendid each club being represented. The first number was a selection by the Jester Jazz orchestra, a contribution from the Atheneum Club and the second was a piano solo by Susie Petro.

A drama in one act was given by members of the Garrick Club. After a solo by Meryll Gay the members of Masque and Juno Clubs presented a farce entitled "Our Faculty at Work." The remainder of the program was a trio from the Garrick Club and a reading by Betty Stewart.

Dancing brought the evening to a close. This is the first banquet for the honor club members and each one expressed themselves as having had a fine time.

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George Henke of this city, attended the Delolay dance in Lorain last evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Belden and Mrs. Edith Hoffman of Amherst, attended a meeting of the Women's Relief Corps in this city, yesterday.

Charles Phillips of 437 Earl court, has been ill with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Dr. Charles Blanchard, president of Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Taylor of Fifth street, over last night.

Charles C. Lord of Seventh street, left last evening for Canton, Ohio, where he will attend a conference of the Dictators and Secretaries of the Loyal Order of Moose, called by Rodney H. Brandon, Grand Secretary of the State of Ohio.

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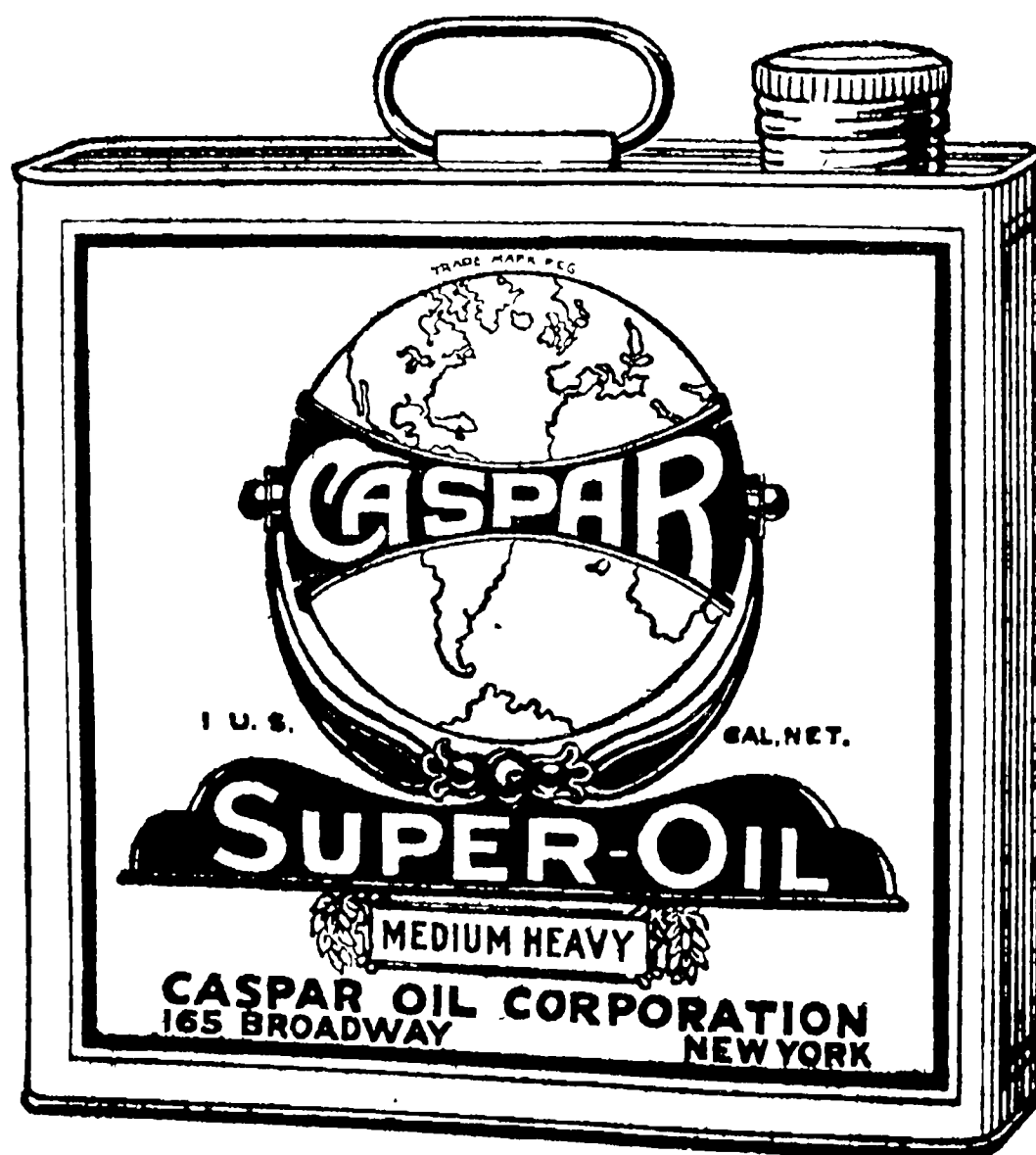
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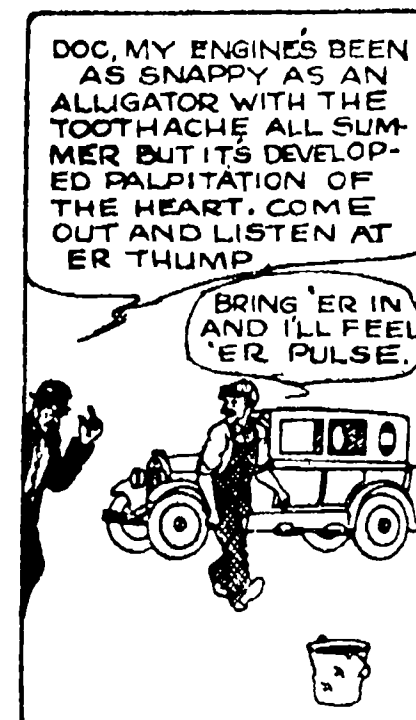
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TAKING A KNOCK IN TIME

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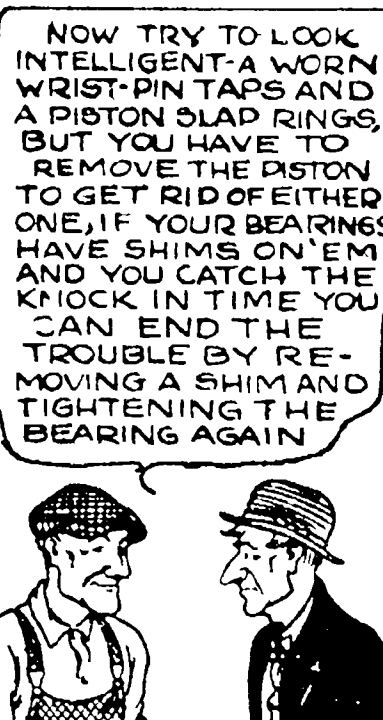


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SOUNDS LIKE A PISTON SLAP DOESN'T IT?

SLAP NOTHING THATS A WALLOR ONE OF YOUR MAIN BEARINGS HAS GONE WRONG A PISTON SLAP WAS A KIND OF A RING TO IT, BUT WHEN A MAIN BEARING GOES BAD THERE'S A DULL THUD.



NOW TRY TO LOOK INTELLIGENT-A WORN WRIST-PIN TAPS AND A PISTON SLAP RINGS, BUT YOU HAVE TO REMOVE THE PISTON TO GET RID OF EITHER ONE, IF YOUR BEARINGS HAVE SHIMS ON 'EM AND YOU CATCH THE KNOCK IN TIME YOU CAN END THE TROUBLE BY REMOVING A SHIM AND TIGHTENING THE BEARING AGAIN.



NEGLECTING KNOCKS SENDS MANY A GOOD CAR TO THE JUNK PILE LIKE SOME WINE THEY GET WORSE WITH AGE EVERY EXPLOSION GIVES THE BEARING A HAMMER LIKE BLOW AND SPRINGS THE CRANK-SHAFT. CRYSTALLIZES IT AND THEN GOOD NIGHT!

Bearings are made of a bronze back and lined with babbit, a soft metal which resembles solder. When a bearing becomes worn, each knock has a tendency to flatten out this soft metal and make the knock more serious. They never improve with age, so you will save money by catching them when they are young.

The lower side of a connecting rod bearing is thrown against the crankshaft every time the piston starts down on the compression stroke, but the instant the crankshaft starts to push the piston up on the compression stroke, the pressure is thrown against the upper side of the bearing. Knocks occur at the beginning of each of these strokes and are more or less of a rattle.

Main bearing knocks occur every time a piston starts down on the power stroke on either side of the worn bearing. The firing

order of the cylinders never allows the cylinders to fire in 1, 2, 3, 4, order, so the power stroke can not throw its force against the same bearing twice in succession.

A stethoscope is useful in locating knocks but if you can not get one try a slender hardwood rod about three feet long. Hold one end between your teeth and place the other end against the engine while it is running. Move it about until you find the place where the vibration feels the strongest.

Bearing shims can be used on any engine. They are nothing more than several layers of very thin metal which are inserted between edges of a bearing. When a slight knock is heard you can take the bearing apart, peel off one layer of the shim and tighten it up again.

OLDSMOBILE REPORTS BUSINESS INCREASES

Continued business improvement is noted during November and December in reports from Oldsmobile zone managers and territory travelers, according to Guy H. Peasley, General Sales Manager of Olds Motor Works, Lansing, Mich. Indications also point to the fact that generally throughout the country the automobile business will be far better in the spring of 1925 than it was the year previous.

Employment in the cotton mills of the Carolinas and Georgia is now about 70 percent of maximum," said Mr. Peasley. "Cotton and tobacco crops are bringing fair prices. The Florida citrus crop is bringing a good price with a fair yield. In Southern Florida considerable building is under way. Industrial conditions in the coal and steel districts of Alabama, Indiana and Birmingham, are good, with other sections fair. The lumber industry of Mississippi shows signs of improvement and the planters have had a good cotton crop.

"In the New England states the cotton mills are running on all time but the main difficulty of the textile manufacturers is that cotton goods prices are much lower relatively than raw cotton prices, and labor costs have been high. The shoe industry is gradually improving and cutlery and hardware lines in Connecticut show a gain.

"Olds Motor Works is keeping in close touch with the situation as regards unsold cars in dealers' stocks, and these stocks are moving below the number usually carried at this season of the year. Factory production is being kept more than ever in line with retail sales and this manufacturing plan will mean bigger production in the early spring, as the number of unsold cars in dealers' stocks will be low."

URGES AUTO AS A CHRISTMAS PRESENT

Christmas this year will bring automobile ownership to thousands of persons who never even thought they would ever enjoy such a thing.

Of course, the giving of an automobile at Christmas time has been a practice for years. Families have bought new automobiles to replace old ones, the thoughtful husband has surprised his wife with a new car and indulgent yet practical fathers, to retain larger cars for family use, have played the role of Santa Claus and presented sons and daughters with Ford runabouts or coupes as personal cars, a practice, which, by the way, is becoming quite popular.

But for those to whom the ownership of an automobile has heretofore seemed impossible, the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan is playing the role of Santa Claus.

Approximately 150,000 persons ready have secured their cars under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan and this number will be materially increased before the close of the approaching Christmas season.

The convenient manner in which payments may be made under the plan and other attractive features connected with it, make it possible for most anyone to purchase a Ford car. Dealers throughout the country already have begun to report enrollments

MOTOR LUBRICATION

By Edward T. Birdsall, M. E. Consulting Engineer and Founder of the S. A. E.

I have been often asked, why it is that Castor Oil can be successfully used in airplane motors and not in automobile engines.

To answer this we must go back a little and trace the lubrication of engines of various types thru to our present forms.

The early steam engines with their slow motion and low temperature steam were comparatively easy to lubricate even with the poor oils that they had at that time. Animal and vegetable oils of the non-drying types were used exclusively.

With the advent of the much cheaper mineral oils that would stand high temperatures without decomposing, the steam engines increased in speed, and higher temperature steam giving greater economy, was used.

When the internal combustion motor was invented and came into use (1876), it was found that the oils then in use were sadly lacking in the necessary heat resisting qualities demanded by the higher running temperatures of the cylinder walls of these new motors.

It was soon found that in order to prevent the gumming up of the moving parts of the engine, a motor that a pure mineral oil must be used. By "putting" meaning a mineral oil that contained no animal or vegetable oils. This practice has continued down to the present day, and, except for refinements in manufacture and blending, no radical change has been made, or marked improvements effected in our motor lubricants over a period of nearly forty years.

With the advent of the airplane motor a still better lubricant was a necessity, as airplane motors could not be fitted with large bearings on account of the absolute need of keeping down the weight. This led to the use of castor oil because of its superior lubricating qualities under heavy pressures and extremes of heat and cold, and in spite of the fact that the motor had to be dismantled after every one hundred hours of running and thoroughly

cleaned. It is a fact that at the present time no long flights or altitude flights can be made without the use of castor oil.

Again, as the supply of the lighter grades of gasoline became scarce and heavier grades were generally used, the subject of crankcase oil dilution became a serious matter and has been made the subject of much thought and investigation by automobile engineers. Oil diluted with gasoline loses its lubricating qualities and causes excessive wear in the motor. Frequent changing of the oil seems to be the only remedy in spite of the added expense and trouble.

State Briefs

NELSONVILLE, O., Dec. 13.—The Athens County Automobile Club has gone on record as favoring a two-cent tax on gasoline to raise funds for road maintenance and also demands that a traffic patrol be inaugurated. There are more than 1,000 members on the rolls of this organization.

DEFIANCE, O., Dec. 13.—Pupils of the central public school here set a record for towns under the supervision of S. S. Wineland, of Bryan, deputy state fire mar-

shal of Northwestern Ohio, when they made an exit in one minute and 15 seconds. The test drill was made without the previous knowledge by instructors and the 950 children marched out in regular order.

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Dec. 13.—Belmont County Farm Bureau is on record today as favoring a state gasoline tax of at least two cents a gallon, a resolution to that effect having been passed at the annual meeting here. Appoint-

ment of L. J. Taber as secretary of agriculture also is urged by the farm bureau.

MIDDLETOWN, O., Dec. 13.—Mines of the Pomeroy Bend district are losing much of their trade in down river markets, according to river men here. Operators of the Kanawha river fields are shipping their product by barge down the Ohio river. Most of their coal is mined by non-union labor, while local mines are

IN THE DAY'S NEWS

Prof. Charles S. Sargent, who has been awarded the Loder Rhododendron Cup by the Royal Horticultural Society of England in recognition of his distinguished services to horticulture, is a horticulturist and arboriculturist of international reputation. For nearly fifty years Prof. Sargent has filled the chair of arboriculture at Harvard University and during an even longer period he has served as director of the Arnold Arboretum, which is Har-

vard's famous museum of a wonderful botanical garden in which is grown every tree and shrub which can endure the climate of New England. The bestowal of the Loder Cup on Prof. Sargent is an unusual honor, for the cup has never before been sent out of Europe. All of the previous recipients of the honor have been eminent horticulturists of Great Britain.

A wild goose never laid a tame-

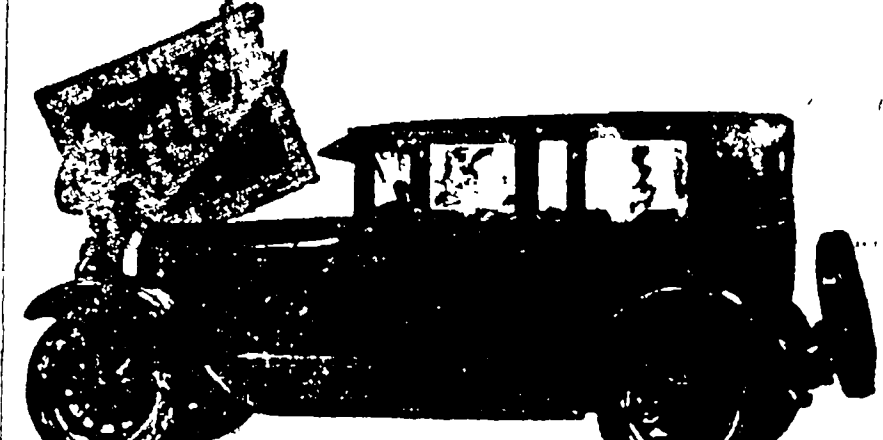


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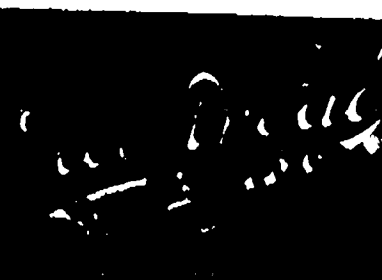
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AUTOMOBILES

NASH HAS BIGGEST NOVEMBER BUSINESS

Nash sales for November rose 66 percent beyond the greatest previous November in the history of the Nash Motors Company. Following close on the heels of October, the greatest month Nash ever had, and at a period of the year when dull business is expected by the industry, November 30 still found dealers in all sections of the country facing an apparently unrelenting demand.

When figures for Chicago and Cook County were made available they showed that Nash ran past every other, except Ford, in total registrations; likewise registration figures from Wisconsin showed Nash second only to Ford in Milwaukee and Milwaukee County.

ty, taking each individual car into consideration.

"The month just closed showed an increase of 122.8 percent over November, 1923," said E. H. McCarty, general sales manager of The Nash Motors Company. "The shipments exceeding those of any month this year with the exception of October, which itself showed an increase of 5.6 percent over the biggest month in the history of Nash Motors."

"To return to November, it outstripped in point of shipments every month of 1923 except May and June, when the selling season normally is at its peak, and the month just closed also was bigger than any previous November in the history of The Nash Motors Company by 2,336 cars."

"Demand for the new Nash line of Advanced Six and Special Six models has been unprecedented since August 1, when these models

HUDSON-ESSEX COACH DEMAND STIMULATED

The stampede to coaches is greatly stimulating Hudson-Essex business, according to H. M. Andress, Hudson-Essex dealer, whose organization is just closing a record-breaking year of business with 75 percent of its whole volume in enclosed cars.

The recent reductions in the prices of Hudson and Essex Coaches to positions actually below open car cost, plus the ability of his organization to deliver coaches promptly, have been vital factors, he said, in maintaining a consistently strong sales volume in the late fall season.

"The remarkable rise in popularity of the coach," he declared, "is an undeniable proof of the leadership of the Hudson-Essex organization. Concerns which once scoffed at the coach are now straining every nerve to build one. The men in the street see in this the sincerest of all compliments to Hudson-Essex. When he thinks of a coach he thinks of Hudson-Essex. He remembers that Hudson-Essex has had the experience of building 180,000 of them."

"This is a truly marvelous instance of the manner in which quality has been substantially raised while prices to the consumer were drastically cut."

"It is astounding to me to see and hear the ever-increasing interest in coaches. I really hear very little else in the conversation of automobile men and the purchasers of motor cars. The 'waive of this public preference has gradually been piling higher and higher. Now it is sweeping all before it."

The Hudson-Essex factory is now running on an excellent production schedule, and we are able to make coach deliveries with no delay whatsoever.

YOSEMITE ECONOMY, RUN WON BY OAKLAND

In 1923, Oakland won both the sweepstakes and class cup in the Yosemite Economy Run, held under the supervision of the A. A. A. and incidentally smashed all existing economy records with a gasoline mileage of 36.92.

During the last of November, a

stock Oakland touring car made the run from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia, a distance of 297.3 miles on 7.5-8 gallons of gasoline or an average of 33.95 miles to the gallon.

Thus the previous record for high gasoline mileage was again broken by Oakland—this time by a margin of two miles more per gallon.

The run was made by the Englebert-McKean Automobile, Oakland dealer of Pittsburgh, with Earl

Ritte, assistant service manager doing all the driving. He left the Pittsburgh dealer with 10 gallons of gasoline. When he drove up to the front doors of the Philadelphia branch of Oakland, he still had two gallons and three pints of gasoline left in his tank.

To prove that the car was an ordinary stock model, without any special appliances, Mr. Ritte made the entire return trip to Pittsburgh in high gear.

There was no attempt to "proctor" anything but economy of operation on this run.

other automobile manufacturer in the world except the Ford Motor Company.

The corporation also broke all of its own October sales records, beating October 1923 by 65 percent and October, 1922 by 110 percent.

Moreover, while exact figures are not yet available, it is known that the November sales are far ahead of those of any other November in the corporation's history.

The reason for these exceptional records, point out Studebaker folks, is the quality and value built into the new cars at the prices at which they are sold.

The quality of materials and workmanship, they add, is made possible by two outstanding features of the corporation's manufacturing.

The \$60,000,000 Studebaker plant manufacturing these cars

complete in five Duplex and two closed body models, on three separate chassis, eliminate mid-diection's profits and thereby lower costs.

Through Studebaker's large volume of production, the overhead cost per car is reduced to the minimum, because it is spread over so many thousands of cars. This permits the use of higher quality of materials and workmanship at prices that would be impossible if the cars were built in smaller quantities.

STUDEBAKER CLAIMS SECOND BEST RECORD

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 12.—Studebaker's October sales exceeded in value those of any

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TELLS OF HIGH SPOTS RECOMMENDING BUICK

"The Buick chassis is designed on correct principles of construction, constantly developed over a period of twenty years by the same engineers," says Mr. Robinson of the local Elyria Buick Co. He continued:

"All working parts in the Buick chassis are sealed against dust, dirt and the loss of lubricant."

"More than twenty years' service has demonstrated the Buick Valve-in-Head engine to be superior in power, speed, and economy."

"Every working part of the Buick engine is automatically lubricated."

"The Buick multiple disc clutch is positive and disengages with very slight pressure. It is simply adjusted without removing a single part."

"The Buick gear shift is so simple that a child can operate it."

"Only one universal joint is needed on the Buick and this is automatically lubricated."

"The Buick rear axle and torque tube drive relieve the rear springs of all driving strains."

"Buick cantilever rear springs eliminate sidesway and are exceptionally easy riding."

"The Buick front axle is drop-forged in one piece. There are no brazed and riveted parts that will work loose."

"The Buick semi-irreversible, ball-bearing steering gear is the most costly type. It makes steering easy and provides a maximum of safety."

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QUICK SHIFT SAVES CAR IN WALES PARTY

Trailing the Prince of Wales during his visits to American cities was not without thrills for the newspaper men assigned to "cover" the royal visitor. Usually, the reporters travelled in high-powered automobiles, and even then had difficulty in maintaining contact with the prince and his party.

The chase after the Prince gave Boston newspaper men an unexpected demonstration of the advantages of the Chandler's Traffic Transmission, the gearbox that permits the driver to change speeds instantly, at any time.

The Boston Traveler describes the incident as follows:

"The Traffic Transmission of a 1925 Chandler automobile prevented a crash when the car, containing several Boston newspapermen 'covering' the Prince of Wales, narrowly missed a truck that started to cross the street without signaling."

"The Chandler was hitting a fast clip and holding its place behind the auto containing the prince. A truck ahead suddenly turned to the left without warning, and the driver of the Chandler, Frank C. Thomas, immediately shifted to lower gear. He applied the brakes and the machine instantly stopped."

"The Chandler clung to the road and there was no skidding. It went over deep sand and around sharp corners and the transmission never failed."

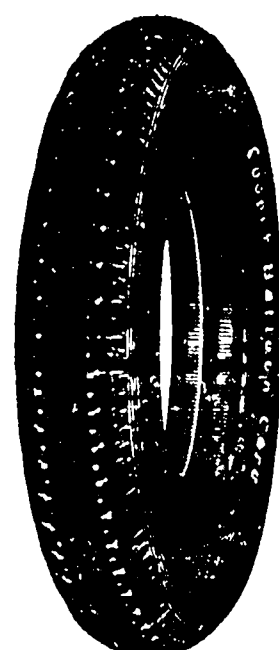
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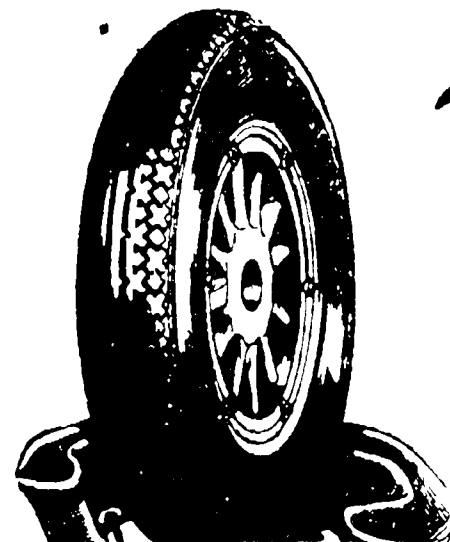
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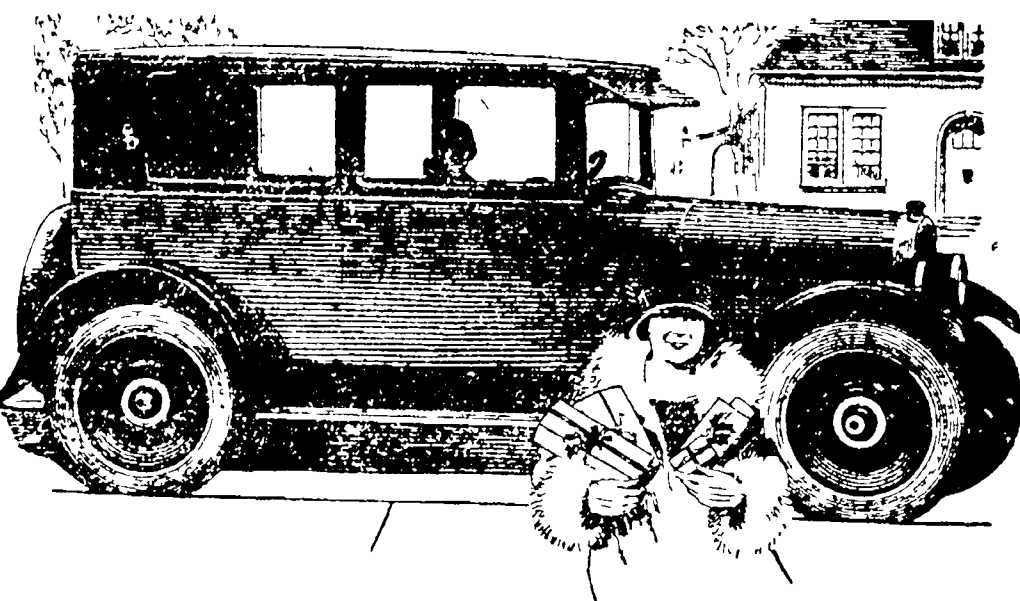
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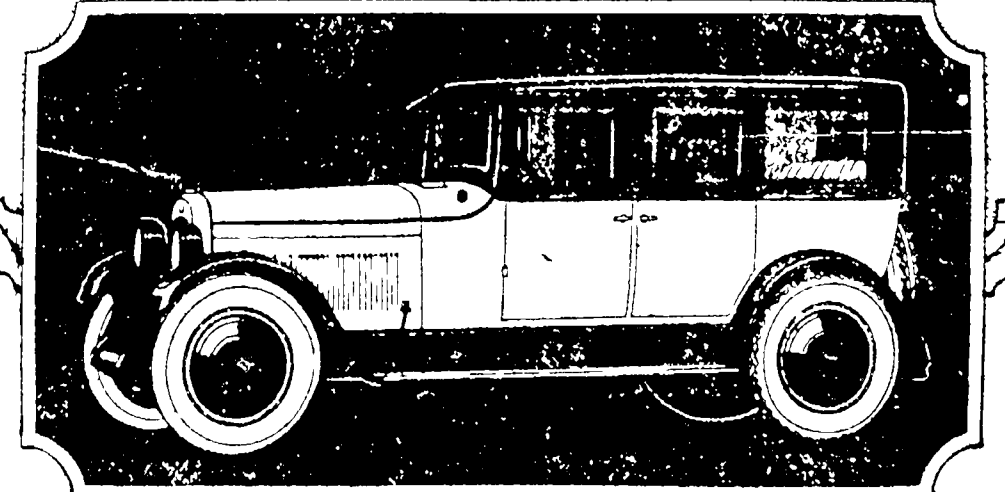
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AMHERST HIGH EASY FOR LORAIN

LORAIN, O., Dec. 13.—Lorain High school's basketball team opened its 1924-25 campaign last night by defeating Amherst High, 25 to 14. Coach McCaskey used fifteen players in annexing his first basketball victory at the local institution. Lorain led at all stages of the contest, holding a 21 to 4 lead at the half.

Lorain—35.			
McCaskey, Jr.	2	6	
Horn, Jr.	4	0	8
Oleary, Jr.	1	1	3
Warner, Jr.	2	0	4
A. Smith, Jr.	0	0	0
Bush, Jr.	1	0	2
Otoole, Jr.	1	0	2
Bevan, Jr.	4	0	8
Wilker, Jr.	1	0	2

Amherst—14.			
Dute, Jr.	1	0	2
Tabbert, Jr.	3	3	9
C. Smith, Jr.	0	0	0
Taylor, Jr.	0	0	0
Gustelmann, Jr.	0	2	2
Hennes, Jr.	0	1	1
Bicker, Jr.	0	0	0

Bowling Scores

Last night's results in the City Bowling League follow:

Ragles			
Carpenter	196	176	212-555
Ardo	169	158	175-502
Andorka	170	190	205-565
Shepard	166	170	134-470
Donnelly	182	183	153-515

Totals			
883	877	880	2640

Hasebrooks			
Hubbell	213	156	168-537
Root	194	182	135-509
Peter	173	182	171-526
Heppelbrand	163	183	201-547
Worthington	191	189	189-559

Totals			
834	878	857	2669

Wildier Cigars			
Traxler	175	186	187-548
Kughman	170	157	190-517
Bohn	187	157	179-523
Reedy	151	156	171-478
Weller	154	167	187-508

Totals			
837	823	914	2574

Simpson Fords			
Wilcox	202	150	194-576
Minch	185	204	149-329
R. Maddock	199	207	146-352
Evans	195	201	222-618
Walkden	181	194	163-338

Totals			
962	986	865	2813

Tompleys			
Pierce	168	174	168-512
Schafer	148	149	170-458
Jenkins	179	176	175-530
Kunitz	140	149	157-446
Gerke	174	203	164-341

Totals			
809	845	834	2488

Two Angles On Comfort at Little Joe's

TO BEGIN WITH, OUR RESTAURANT IS HOME-LIKE AND COMFORT-ABLE.

YOU CAN HAVE A TABLE BY YOUR LONE, SOME OR YOU CAN SIT WITH FRIENDS AT ONE OF THE LARGE SOCI-ABLE TABLES.

OF COURSE, OURS ISN'T THE ONLY COMFORT-ABLE RESTAURANT IN THE WORLD, BUT IT IS UNIQUE IN THE RE-SPECT THAT YOU FEEL JUST AS COMFORTABLE WHEN YOU GET UP AS WHEN YOU SIT DOWN.

SOME TRY TO BE-GUILE THE JADED AP-PETITE WITH FURNI-TURE—WE JUST STICK TO THE OLD-FASHIONED METHOD—GOOD FOOD.

"LITTLE JOE'S"—OF COURSE.

Managerial Duties Will Shorten Playing Days of Collins



It is generally believed that the managerial duties, finally thrust upon the hands of Eddie Collins, will shorten materially the playing days of the great second baseman. Collins has but few rivals at second base in the game's history. Photos above form an interesting study of Collins in action field.

Sport Sparks

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa:

When you slide down our chimney this Xmas please bring me three new outfielders two nice infielders and seven shiny pitchers. Would appreciate these as I have been a good boy all year.

Yours hopefully,

ARTHUR FLETCHER.

My Dear Mr. Claus:

I am starving because there is nobody I can fight without running a risk of losing my title. Please bring me a few setups and arrange a match that the public will stand for.

Yours faithfully,

MIKE M'FIGUE.

Friend Santa:

If you have any new noses to spare please put one in my sock—you gave one to Jack Dempsey. Mine is all out of shape.

BATTILING SIKI.

Mr. Claus:

Please bring me a lemon squeezer for use in training camp next spring. I have wasted so much dough on minor league stars that I need something to separate the wheat from the chaff.

CORNELL'S M'GILLICUDDY.

COLUMBIA CRESCENTS DEFEAT OBERLIN FIVE

The Columbia Crescents basketball team played the strong Oberlin Dodgers at the St. John's auditorium last night. Both teams played a clean game. The results being 20 to 16 in favor of the Crescents.

Any team wishing a game with the Columbia Crescents please notify Clarence Koop, 335 11th St. City, or phone 26784 between the hours of 6 and 7 p.m.

VERMILION HIGH CASE SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

VERMILION, Dec. 12.—Vermilion high school basketball squad opens its season tonight against Avon here. The schedule for the rest of the season is as follows:

Dec. 10—Berlin Heights, here.

Jan. 9—Huron, here.

Jan. 10—Birmingham, there.

Jan. 16—Milan, here.

Jan. 23—Open.

Feb. 6—Milan, there.

Feb. 13—Birmingham, here.

Feb. 20—Open.

Feb. 27—Tournament.

March 6—Open.

March 13—Huron, here.

March 20—Berlin Heights, there.

AMHERST EAGLES LOSE TO CLEVELAND FIVE

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The Cleveland Congress Caps defeated the Amherst Eagles basketball squad on the Amherst floor last night, the score being 26-23. It was an exceptionally fast game.

LORAIN TRACEY GIRLS BEAT AMHERST 10-9

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The Tracey girls basketball team defeated the Amherst High school girls' team here, 10-9, last night.

SPORT FLASHES

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Kid Kaplan, Meriden, Conn., ring star, was one step nearer the featherweight title today as a result of his four round knockout of Jose Lombardo, Panama contender, at Madison Square Garden last night.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A possible bout between Tom Gibbons and Harry Wills as a prelude to a shot at Dempsey's new profile, began cooking over a slow fire.

Sport Events Today

RACING: Meeting of Jefferson Parish Fair Assn. at New Orleans. Meeting of Cuba-American Jockey Club, at Havana.

GOLF: Annual meeting of Western Golf Association, at Chicago.

TENNIS: Florida public courts championship opens at Jacksonville.

BENCH SHOW: Annual show of Los Angeles (Calif.) Kennel Club.

ATHLETICS: Western Interstate Conference meeting, at Chicago.

Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Conference meeting, at Portland, Ore.

CROSS COUNTRY: Southern California Conference championship, at Los Angeles.

Annual three-mile race of Birmingham A. C., Birmingham, Ala.

HORSESHOES: Illinois State championship tournament, at Chicago.

AMHERST

By MISS LUCY HORN

JUNIOR AND SENIOR CHAPELS HOLD MEETS

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—Miss Edna Bellar led the Junior High school chapel Friday morning. The assembly joined in singing several Christmas songs after which the following program was given:

Two violin solos, "Broken Melody," Cupid's Dance—Fred Derzer.

Recitation—Virginia Krouser.

Vocal solo—"The Story Santa Claus Told"—Virginia Cooper.

A Christmas Story—Told by Caroline Sharp.

Vocal solo—"A Little Town in Bethlehem"—Lewis Reickert.

Recitation—Mildred Ernst.

Vocal duet—"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"—Max Ezeland and Myrtle Williams.

A Christmas Story—Told by Laura Joseph.

Vocal solo—"Little Lady Santa Claus"—Valerie Boyles.

Recitation—Ruby Kruger.

Mr. Cole, teacher of the Manual Training department, led the chapel exercises in the High school auditorium Friday morning.

Mr. Powers led in singing several favorite songs after which Mr. Cole gave a very interesting talk on "Engineering, contrasting it with the time of Columbus to the present day." He brought out in his talk the different forms of engineering, namely: civil, mechanical, electrical, mining, chemical, structural, and as the very bottom of engineering is mathematics. One must have mathematics to be a successful engineer. He brought out many other interesting points.

EAGLES TO INITIATE

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The Eagles will hold initiation of candidates, Monday evening, Dec. 15, at the Foresters Hall, South Amherst. The members are cordially invited. Those having machines are requested to bring them. A good time is assured.

W. F. M. ENTERTAINED WITH GOOD PROGRAM

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The W. F. M. Society of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. A. K. Jean, Cleveland avenue, assisted by Mrs. Harry Williams, yesterday afternoon. The program is as follows:

Music on Edison—Silent Night and selections from the "Messiah."

The usual business was transacted. Two readings were given, one by Mrs. H. A. Williams and one by Mrs. L. Stough. Plans were made for the coming year's work. A social time was enjoyed followed by refreshments. Twenty were present.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL FOR EARL LIPHARDT

AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The funeral rites of Earl Liphardt, 31, were held from the late home of Cornell avenue at 1:30, and 2:00 o'clock from the M. E. church. The church was filled to its capacity with friends and relatives. The floral offerings were numerous. The pall bearers were members of the deceased. A quartette composed of Mrs. John Ludwick, Mrs. Newton Holzhauer, Peter Becker and Wm. Garthe sang several selections. Rev. W. A. Tabbert officiated. Burial was made in Brownhelm cemetery in charge of Conrad Zilch. The out-of-town people who attended were, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Liphardt of Cleveland, Mrs. Bert French, Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Bristol and Albert Haskins all from Wakarusa, Mr. and Mrs. Allgood and son Myron of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilder, John Horn, Mrs. Ackled, Mrs. L. Wainwright, Mrs. A. Bridgrod, all of Medina, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pratt and daughter Esther, Mr. and Mrs. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lang, all of Elyria, Mr. and Mrs. George Lang of Ridgeville, Leonard Maddock of Lorain, Mr. and Mrs. George Graph of Vermilion, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brill and family of Brownhelm, Wm. Brill and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Berkumire, all of Birmingham.

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CLASS ENTERTAINED — AMHERST, Dec. 12.—The 3 F class of the Cong-M Methodist church held a social time at the gym last evening. The boys of Mrs. Hubbard's class enjoyed a game of basketball and the men arranged to organize a team. They will hold their first meeting Thursday evening the 18th. Pictures of interest were shown on the screen and a delicious luncheon of coffee, buns and wieners was enjoyed.

STRUCK BY AUTO — AMHERST, Dec. 12.—Robert Mock of Cleveland avenue was thrown to the pavement by a machine yesterday morning when he was preparing to enter a machine for work. His side and right ear were injured. Dr. Bryce Miller looked after the injuries.

Fingers Lacerated — AMHERST, Dec. 12.—Fred Hopkins was injured at the Ohio Quarries yesterday when two fingers were badly lacerated on his right hand when his fingers were caught in the saw. Dr. Wiseman dressed the injury.

AMHERST PERSONALS — AMHERST, Dec. 12.—F. I. Hubbard and daughter, Grace were Cleveland visitors yesterday. Mrs. Lizzie Belden and Mrs. George Hoffman attended the W. R. C. meeting at Elyria yesterday. Mrs. Randolph Brown, Elyria Avenue is reported on the sick list. Mrs. Matilda Westbecker returned to her home in Cleveland after a visit here. Mrs. George Menz is spending the week end in Cleveland. Mrs. Ralph Reiz was admitted to the local hospital. Mrs. P. O. Delbridge and daughter, Beatrice of Cleveland are week end visitors here. Mrs. Margaret Whyte spent yesterday in Lorain. Mrs. John Sabiers was a Lorain caller yesterday.

Would Quiet Titles—Two suits to quiet titles to property have been filed in Common Pleas court. One of the suits names 43 defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, creditors and assigns. This suit is brought by Howard Morgan and Lena Morgan vs. Samuel Brooks and 42 others. Morgan seeks to quiet the title to land held by him, consisting of two parcels in LaPorte Village, Carlisle township, Corning D. Ryals has filed suit, against Sylvanus Riey and nine others to remove a cloud and quiet the title to property at 174 East Lorain street, Oberlin.

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Women are always finding each other out, which accounts for the appalling mortality among feminine friendships all the world over.

Miss Mary Mallay called on Lorain friends yesterday.

Mrs. E. Colshaw and Miss Anna Koepke spent yesterday in Lorain.

Mrs. David Brennan and little daughter were Elyria shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. G. Brown and grand daughter spent yesterday in Lorain.

Ruth Griggle visited friends in Lorain yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Krugman was a Lorain shopper yesterday.

Mrs. George Rice a daughter Marguerite were Lorain visitors last evening.

The condition of P. V. McGarvey is very much better.

CHRONIGRAMS

Age is Incorrect—In the account of the death of Mrs. Hannah E. Phipps, her age was given as 82 years. Mrs. Phipps at the time of her death was 92 years and six months of age.

Baby McClure Dies — William Russell McClure, two year old son of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. McClure died this morning at 4 o'clock. He is survived by his mother and father, brother Fenton and sister Catherine. Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2:00 from the home, 1315 Middle avenue. The burial will be private.

Edward Hearne, 9, Dies — Edward Hearne died at 2:00 this morning at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Mack, 309 North street after an illness of several weeks caused by valvular heart trouble. The deceased was nine years and ten months old. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Edna Hearne, of North St., and his father Ralph Hearne of East River street.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday morning from St. Mary's church at 9:00. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

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MARKETS

CLEVELAND PRODUCE BUTTER, extra 47 1-2-48 1-2, prints 45 1-2-48 1-2, Firsis 44 1-2-47 1-2, packing 17 1-2.

Eggs—Fresh 60, Ohio firsts 54, Western firsts 53, Ohio, Nut 23, High Grade Animal Oils 27-28, Lower grades 20-21.

Cheese—York State 24-26, Poultry—Fowls 22-23, roosters 15-16, springers 22-24, ducks 30-22 turkeys 30, geese 20-22, apples 140-150, bi.

Beans—Dried Navy 7c, cabbage 22-22 per ton, Potatoes 165-175 sack, Tomatoes 135-150 basket, Onions 150-175 per cwt.

STOCKS CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK CATTLE: Receipts 400. Market slow.

CALVES: Receipts 300. Market slow. Top 1150.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: Receipts 1000. Market 25c higher. Top 1650.

HOSES: Receipts 3500. Markets steady.

Yorkers 925 Mixed 950 Heavies 975-1000 Mediums 975 Pigs 650 Roughs 800 Stags 550

There would be a lot more cheerfulness around if there was more envy of another's goodness, and less for the garments worn.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

SHERIFF'S SALE Case No. 20824 Court of Common Pleas, Lorain County, Ohio.

George S. Hunter vs. Emily H. Hunter, et al. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 20th day of December, A. D. 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., I will offer for sale at public auction at the north door of the Court House, in Elyria, Ohio, the following real estate, to wit:

Situated in the City of Elyria, County of Lorain and State of Ohio, and known as being Lot Number Twenty-six (26) of William A. Braman's Addition to the City of Elyria, as shown by Braman's Plat recorded in Lorain County Records of Plats, Volume 3, Page 1; Said Lot Number Twenty-six (26) of said Plat has a frontage of fifty-five (55) feet on the East side of Woodland Avenue, and extends back therefrom even width a distance of One Hundred Sixty-five (165) feet. Property also known as 421 Woodland Avenue, City of Elyria, O.

Appraisal: Property appraised at Thirty-five Hundred (\$3500.00) Dollars.

Terms of Sale: Cash on date of sale, and said premises can not be sold for less than two thirds of appraisal.

F. A. UNDERHILL, Sheriff

JOHN C. CONAWAY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Nov. 15-22-29 12-6-13

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